RESOLUTION NO. LPIC2001-02

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION RELATING TO ELECTRIC SYSTEM REVENUE VARIABLE RATE DEMAND CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION, 2002 SERIES A AND ELECTRIC SYSTEM REVENUE CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION, 2002 TAXABLE SERIES B; APPROVING THE FORMS OF AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF AN INSTALLMENT PURCHASE CONTRACT AND A TRUST AGREEMENT IN CONNECTION THEREWITH; AND AUTHORIZING CERTAIN OTHER MATTERS RELATED THERETO

WHEREAS, the City of Lodi, a municipal corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Constitution and laws of the State of California (the "City"), owns and operates a municipal electric system (the "Electric System"), to provide the City and its inhabitants with electricity; and

WHEREAS, the City and the Lodi Public Improvement Corporation, a non-profit, public benefit corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of California (the "Corporation"), propose to execute and enter into an Installment Purchase Contract (the "Installment Purchase Contract"), whereby the Corporation will acquire from the City certain existing improvements as more fully described in Exhibit 1 to the Installment Purchase Contract (the "Existing Facilities"), and whereby the Corporation will sell such Existing Facilities back to the City as provided in the Installment Purchase Contract; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Installment Purchase Contract, the City will be obligated to make installment payments to the Corporation for the purchase of the Existing Facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Corporation proposes to enter into a Trust Agreement (the "Trust Agreement") providing for the execution and delivery of Electric System Revenue Variable Rate Demand Certificates of Participation, 2002 Series A and Electric System Revenue Certificates of Participation, 2002 Taxable Series B (collectively, the "Certificates"), evidencing the proportionate ownership interests of the owners thereof in the installment payments to be made by the City pursuant to the Installment Purchase Contract; and

WHEREAS, all acts, conditions and things required by the laws of the State of California to exist, to have happened and to have been performed precedent to and in connection with the consummation of the transactions authorized hereby do exist, have happened and have been performed in regular and due time, form and manner as required by law, and the Corporation is now duly authorized and empowered, pursuant to each and every requirement of law, to consummate such transactions, for the purpose, in the manner and upon the terms herein provided.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS THE LODI PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Board of Directors of the Corporation hereby specifically finds and determines it is desirable and furthers the Corporation's public purpose to assist the City in the refinancing of the improvements to the Existing Facilities as provided in the Installment Purchase Contract through the actions authorized hereby and that the statements, findings and determinations of the Corporation set forth above and in the preambles of the documents approved herein are true and correct.

Section 2. The Installment Purchase Contract, in the form presented at this meeting and on file with the Secretary of the Corporation, and the performance by the Corporation of its obligations thereunder, are hereby approved, and the President and the Treasurer of the Corporation, each acting singly, are hereby authorized and directed, for and in the name and on behalf of the Corporation, to execute and deliver to the City the Installment Purchase Contract in substantially said form, with such changes therein as such officer executing such document may require or approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery thereof.

Secretary of the Corporation, and the performance of by the Corporation of its obligations thereunder, are hereby approved, and the President or the Treasurer of the Corporation, each acting singly, are hereby authorized to appoint a bank or trust company to serve as the Trustee under the Trust Agreement, provided that such Trustee shall meet the qualifications of a successor Trustee set forth in the Trust Agreement; and the President or the Treasurer of the Corporation, each acting singly, are hereby further authorized and directed, for and in the name and on behalf of the Corporation, to execute and deliver to the Trustee the Trust Agreement in substantially said form, with such changes therein as the such officer executing such document may require or approve, such approval to be conclusively evidenced by the execution and delivery thereof, provided, that the aggregate principal amount of the Certificates to be executed and delivered thereunder shall not exceed \$60,000,000, and the final principal payment date of the Certificates shall be not later than 35 years from their date of delivery.

Section 4. The Secretary of the Corporation is hereby authorized and directed to attest the signatures of the President and the Treasurer of the Corporation, as may be required or appropriate, in connection with the execution and delivery of the Installment Purchase Contract and the Trust Agreement.

Section 5. The officers of the Corporation are hereby authorized and directed, jointly and severally, to do any and all things (including the negotiating and obtaining of a municipal bond insurance policy or reserve fund surety bond with respect to the Certificates if the City Manager or Finance Director of the City determine that such insurance policy or surety bond will result in savings to the City) and to execute and deliver any and all documents which they may deem necessary or desirable in order to consummate the transactions authorized hereby and to consummate the sale, execution and delivery of the Certificates and otherwise to carry out, give effect to and comply with the terms and intent of this Resolution, the Installment Purchase Contract the Trust Agreement and the Certificates; and all such actions heretofore taken by such officers are hereby ratified, confirmed and approved.

Section 6. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

December 19, 2001

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Resolution No. LPIC2001-02 duly passed and adopted by the Board of Directors of the Lodi Public Improvement Corporation at a meeting thereof duly held on the 19th day of December, 2001, by the following vote of the Directors thereof:

AYES:

DIRECTORS - Hitchcock, Howard, Land, Nakanishi,

and President Pennino

NOES:

DIRECTORS - None

ABSENT:

DIRECTORS - None

ABSTAIN:

DIRECTORS - None

SUSAN J. BLACKSTON

Secretary for the Corporation

Approved As to Form:

Randall A. Havs

Attorney for the Corporation

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